



MRS. RAY HOLT CAMP JR.
... former Lonnie Jean Venable

Venable-Holtcamp Vows Exchanged

Lonnie Jean Venable, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Venable of 1559 W. 223rd St., Torrance, became the bride of Ray Arnold Holtcamp Jr., son of Mrs. Ray Holtcamp of 1206 W. 184th St., Gardena in a 1 o'clock ceremony performed by Rev. Bob Dehn Saturday, Nov. 10 at the First Baptist Church of Torrance.

Escorted by her father, the bride was dressed in a white peau de soie gown which terminated in a train. The yoke and three-quarter length sleeves were of lace. She wore a pearl crown with a fingertip veil and carried a bouquet of lily of the valley, white roses and white carnations.

Miss Susan Frost was maid of honor. She was attired in an aqua satin dress with matching shoes and carried a bouquet of pale pink roses and carnations. Flower girl was Pamela Holtcamp who selected a light blue taffeta dress with nylon overskirt. Her bouquet was of pale pink roses and carnations.

Bridesmaids were Miss Shari Bates, Miss Roberta Decker, Miss Germaine Wade and Miss Donna Stephens. They were dressed in aqua satin dresses and carried pink roses and carnations.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Venable chose a tan suit and dark brown ac-

cessories. The mother of the bridegroom selected a beige suit trimmed with mink and black accessories.

Noel Burley was best man. Ushers included: Terry Holtcamp, John Venable, Larry Berkin and Michael Burley.

Miss Bonnie Medved sang "I Love You Truly" and "I'll Walk Beside You."

A wedding reception at the home of the bridegroom's parents followed the ceremony. Miss Nyla Cassel presided at the guest book. Assisting at the reception were Miss Jeannie Weathers and Miss Beverly Embry.

Following a honeymoon at Big Bear Lake the newlyweds are at home at 1561 W. 223rd St., Torrance.

A graduate of Narbonne High School, the bride is employed at the Triad Corp. in Venice.

The bridegroom, who graduated from Gardena High School and attended Trade Tech for one year, is employed by Minneapolis Honeywell.

CLUB NEWS

The Mello-D-Belles entertained at a Fashion Wig Show, sponsored by the Beta Eta Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International, at the Alondra Club 16411 Prairie Ave., Lawndale. Proceeds were donated to the American Cancer Fund by the Sorority.

Women

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High School Homemakers Herald Holiday Season

By RONNIE SAUNDERS
Society Editor

Homemaking in high school, which a generation

Garden Club To Feature Hat Contest

South Bay Garden Club will feature a hat tea at 1:30 p.m. tomorrow in the Redondo Beach Women's Clubhouse, Broadway at Pearl Sts.

Classifications for entries in the hat contest will be: most beautiful hat made out of flowers, novelty hats and hats decorated in the holiday theme. Mrs. Flynn Sturges of Redondo Beach, and Mrs. Charles Eisman of Torrance are co-chairmen of the tea.

Added attraction at the meeting will be the annual candy and bake sale under the direction of Mrs. Ceasar Arcq of Torrance. Fruit cakes, holiday puddings, fancy breads and cookies and homemade candy will be available.

Mrs. Leon Kennedy of Redondo Beach will be in charge of the specimen bloom table.

Senior Sisters Slate Luncheon

Senior Sisters of Temple Menorah Sisterhood will hold a luncheon meeting at noon, Wednesday in the lounge of Temple Menorah, 1101 Camino Real, Redondo Beach.

The Senior Sisters group was organized two years ago by Temple Menorah Sisterhood to provide a congenial social group for senior members of Sisterhood. Meetings provide companionship while members perform services for the benefit of Temple Menorah.

Mrs. Nan Sattton, Torrance, chairman of Senior Sisters, announces that all women of the area are welcome to attend the luncheon, meeting and social hour to follow. She may be called at FAirfax 0-2952 for information.

ago consisted of a smattering of nutrition and the scrambled eggs-to-fudge ball route to cooking in a one-year survey course at the Junior High level, has come into its own.

An integral part of the curriculum at South High School in Torrance, homemaking in 1962 is a three-year program which deals with such topics as understanding ourselves and others, choosing an apartment and planning the furnishings, and managing time and money.

Family Needs Stressed
Emphasis which is on a personal individual level in beginning and intermediate classes, shifts to a family level in modern living classes for senior students at South High School, according to Miss Norma Muesing, homemaking teacher.

Whereas freshman girls study buying and making one's own wardrobe in clothing needs and resources, the modern-living instructor pointed out.

"Family needs are also emphasized in advanced classes in management, Miss Muesing stated in an interview with this reporter.

In interior decorating classes freshman and sophomore girls study floor plans and furniture arrangements for their own rooms.

"In the advanced class," Miss Muesing said, "we go beyond the mere mechanics. We try to cultivate attitudes." This is done by going into background information on styles of furniture and art history.

Twelfth-grade girls are concerned with interior decoration of a home with

needs of all family members in mind.

Prepare for Holidays
During the holiday season classroom lessons are geared towards preparing the girls to actively contribute to family festivities. Students enrolled in the modern-living interior decorating unit are currently doing individual projects on beautifying the home for Christmas.

Each member of the class has planned with her family which area of her home she will decorate, has gleaned ideas from magazines, and is working out her creation in class. Magazine suggestions are judged critically on the basis of art principles: line, form, color, texture, proportion, and center of interest.

Among the holiday decorations currently underway are: gingerbread houses, net Christmas trees decorated with ribbon roses, and garage door centerpieces made of palm branches. Enthusiasm for homemaking is engendered among senior girls by discussions on topics such as "Why is it valuable for a woman to want to beautify her house?"

Yuletide projects of the clothing unit being taught by Mrs. Arthur Stubbs are centered about gift-giving. Students are sewing dolls, stuffing toys, and making pillows, and decorations utilizing the Yuletide theme.

Foods and nutrition students of Miss Mary De Voss are spending the pre-holiday weeks baking Christmas breads, learning how to decorate cookies, studying festive table-setting, and planning the holiday dinner.



FESTIVE TOUCHES are put on net and ribbon rose tree by students in homemaking class at South High School. Interior decorating group is studying ways of beautifying the home for the holidays as part of the modern living program. Pictured are (l-r) Chris Boggs and Deann Armbrust, seniors. —PRESS Photo



STITCHING SEAM of a dress destined to take her through a busy Yuletide season is Shirley Kaiser, South High senior, as Miss Norma Muesing, homemaking teacher, looks on. Before sewing her garment, Shirley learned to shop for fabric, select pattern and material suited to her individual needs, and to manage her clothing dollar wisely. —PRESS Photo



COORDINATING PLANNING of unit meetings to be held by the League of Women Voters in Torrance and Palos Verdes this week are Mrs. Donald Brink, state item chairman of the Torrance provisional league, and Mrs. Morwich Ross, state item chairman of the Palos Verdes league. Units will study California's role in regional planning, emphasizing ways in which communities can cooperate.



PREPARING ITEMS for the annual Holiday Bazaar of the Torrance Women's Club are (l-r) Mmes. John C. Warnock, ticket chairman; L. G. Pulliam, ways and means chairman; James G. Laird, bazaar chairman;

and C. L. Porter, luncheon chairman. Open to the public, the bazaar will take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday at the clubhouse, 1422 Encarnacion. Luncheon will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Ladies of The Elks Honor Past President

Mrs. Robert Le Blond, junior past president of the Torrance Ladies of the Elks, was presented with a lifetime membership at the November business meeting.

New members presented by Mrs. Kenneth McRae, president, were: Mmes. Robert Rice, Clayton Morse and Reginald Pattison.

Plans for a Christmas dinner Dec. 11 at the Palms were announced by Mrs. Frank Douthit, social chairman. Dinner at 7 p.m. will follow a social hour. Members and guests will bring children's gifts for holiday baskets to be given to needy

families. Deadline for reservations is Wednesday, Dec. 5.

Members were asked to bring cigar boxes filled with personal items to a social meeting Tuesday, Nov. 27. Boxes are to be decorated at the meeting and given to women patients at Harbor General Hospital.

An artificial Christmas tree will be donated to the hospital, according to Mrs. McRae.

It was announced that Crazy Hat Night will be featured at the January business meeting.

B'nai B'rith Women to Meet

Southview Chapter, B'nai B'rith Women will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Temple Menorah, 1101 Camino Real, Redondo Beach.

Guest speaker will be Sidney Silverman, recreation director of the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Long Beach who will show a film and discuss his department's work.

A social hour will follow. Persons desiring additional information are asked to phone FR 9-1775.

Donna Simon Honored at Two Showers

Guest of honor at two recent bridal showers was Miss Donna Simon of 1317 Portola Ave.

Hostesses were Mrs. Neva Hickman, who entertained at her home at 1517 215th St., and the Misses Patricia Lewis and Joyce Fleming, who entertained at the Simon home.

Pink and white decorations were featured at both showers.

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Telephone Number.....
Color of Hair.....
Color of Eyes.....
Complexion.....

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